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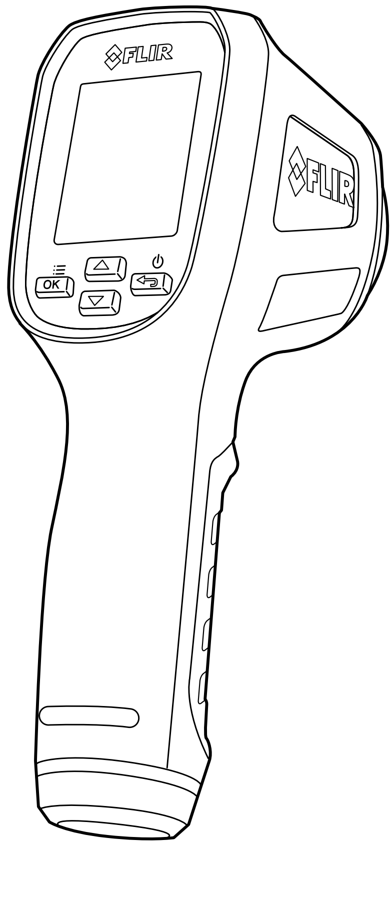
FLIR TG167



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Nota importante
Antes de usar el dispositivo, debe leer, comprender y seguir toda la información sobre instrucciones, advertencias, precauciones y renuncias de responsabilidad.

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在操作设备之前，您必须阅读、理解并遵循所有说明、警告、注意事项和法律免责声明。

重要注意事項
操作裝置之前，您務必閱讀、了解並遵循所有說明、警告、注意事項與法律免責聲明。

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The registry entry HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SYSTEM\CurrentControlSet\Control\Lsa\LmCompatibilityLevel will be automatically changed to level 2 if the FLIR Camera Monitor service detects a FLIR camera connected to the computer with a USB cable. The modification will only be executed if the camera device implements a remote network service that supports network logons.

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html. The source code for the libraries Qt4 Core and Qt4 GUI may be requested from FLIR Systems AB.

2 Safety information

WARNING

Applicability: Cameras with one or more laser pointers.

Do not look directly into the laser beam. The laser beam can cause eye irritation.

WARNING

Make sure that you read all applicable MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheets) and warning labels on containers before you use a liquid. The liquids can be dangerous. Injury to persons can occur.

CAUTION

Do not point the infrared camera (with or without the lens cover) at strong energy sources, for example, devices that cause laser radiation, or the sun. This can have an unwanted effect on the accuracy of the camera. It can also cause damage to the detector in the camera.

CAUTION

Do not use the camera in temperatures more than +50°C (+122°F), unless other information is specified in the user documentation or technical data. High temperatures can cause damage to the camera.

CAUTION

Do not apply solvents or equivalent liquids to the camera, the cables, or other items. Damage to the battery and injury to persons can occur.

CAUTION

Be careful when you clean the infrared lens. The lens has an anti-reflective coating which is easily damaged. Damage to the infrared lens can occur.

CAUTION

Do not use too much force to clean the infrared lens. This can cause damage to the anti-reflective coating.

NOTE

The encapsulation rating is only applicable when all the openings on the camera are sealed with their correct covers, hatches, or caps. This includes the compartments for data storage, batteries, and connectors.

3 Notice to user

3.1 User-to-user forums

Exchange ideas, problems, and infrared solutions with fellow thermographers around the world in our user-to-user forums. To go to the forums, visit:

http://www.infraredtraining.com/community/boards/

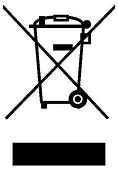
3.2 Calibration

We recommend that you send in the camera for calibration once a year. Contact your local sales office for instructions on where to send the camera.

3.3 Accuracy

For very accurate results, we recommend that you wait 5 minutes after you have started the camera before measuring a temperature.

3.4 Disposal of electronic waste



As with most electronic products, this equipment must be disposed of in an environmentally friendly way, and in accordance with existing regulations for electronic waste.

Please contact your FLIR Systems representative for more details.

3.5 Training

To read about infrared training, visit:

- http://www.infraredtraining.com
- http://www.irtraining.com
- http://www.irtraining.eu

3.6 Documentation updates

Our manuals are updated several times per year, and we also issue product-critical notifications of changes on a regular basis.

To access the latest manuals and notifications, go to the Download tab at:

http://support.flir.com

It only takes a few minutes to register online. In the download area you will also find the latest releases of manuals for our other products, as well as manuals for our historical and obsolete products.

3.7 Important note about this manual

FLIR Systems issues generic manuals that cover several cameras within a model line.

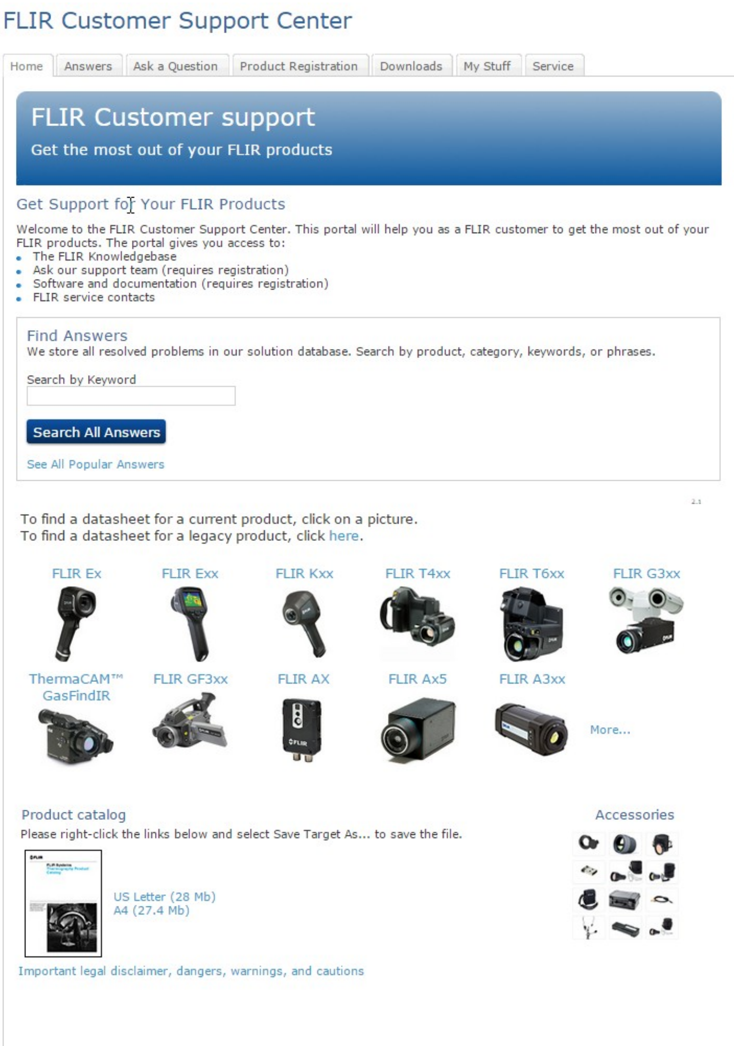
This means that this manual may contain descriptions and explanations that do not apply to your particular camera model.

3.8 Note about authoritative versions

The authoritative version of this publication is English. In the event of divergences due to translation errors, the English text has precedence.

Any late changes are first implemented in English.

4 Customer help



4.1 General

For customer help, visit:

http://support.flir.com

4.2 Submitting a question

To submit a question to the customer help team, you must be a registered user. It only takes a few minutes to register online. If you only want to search the knowledgebase for existing questions and answers, you do not need to be a registered user.

When you want to submit a question, make sure that you have the following information to hand:

- The camera model
- The camera serial number
- The communication protocol, or method, between the camera and your device (for example, HDMI, Ethernet, USB, or FireWire)
- Device type (PC/Mac/iPhone/iPad/Android device, etc.)
- Version of any programs from FLIR Systems
- Full name, publication number, and revision number of the manual

4.3 Downloads

On the customer help site you can also download the following:

- Firmware updates for your infrared camera.
- Program updates for your PC/Mac software.
- Freeware and evaluation versions of PC/Mac software.
- User documentation for current, obsolete, and historical products.
- Mechanical drawings (in *.dxf and *.pdf format).
- Cad data models (in *.stp format).
- Application stories.
- Technical datasheets.
- Product catalogs.

5 Introduction

Thank you for choosing a FLIR TG167 from FLIR Systems.

FLIR's new FLIR TG167 imaging infrared thermometer bridges the gap between single-spot infrared thermometers and FLIR's legendary thermal cameras. Equipped with FLIR's exclusive Lepton micro thermal camera, the FLIR TG167 shows you where potential problems are brewing and where to aim your spot.

The FLIR TG167 lets you see heat patterns, reliably measure temperature, and store images and data. Its menu uses intuitive icons, making it simple to operate. The FLIR TG167 also makes documentation easy by saving images you can download from the Micro SD card or over a USB connection and use for reports.

Main features:

- See the heat and speed up troubleshooting.
- Know where to measure temperature.
- Grab and go simplicity—no special training required.
- Pocket portable to fit a crowded tool bag.
- Rugged and reliable.

6 Quick start guide

Follow this procedure:

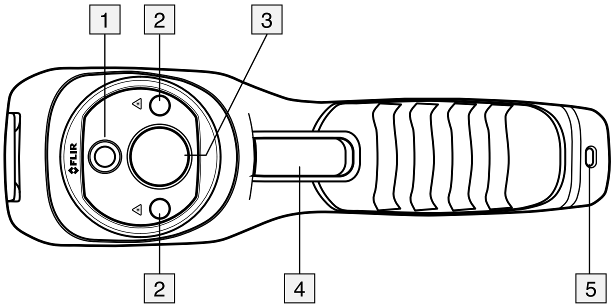
1. Charge the battery. You can do this in two different ways:
    - Charge the battery using a USB cable connected to the power supply.
    - Charge the battery using a USB cable connected to a computer.

    Note Charging the camera using a USB cable connected to a computer takes *considerably* longer than using the FLIR power supply or the FLIR stand-alone battery charger.
2. Push and hold the button for more than 2 seconds to turn on the camera.
3. Aim the camera toward an area or object of interest and view the thermal image. The relative temperature is represented by color, hot to cold (light to dark, respectively). The infrared thermometer reading (upper left on the screen) represents the temperature at the position of the crosshair.
4. Pull and hold the trigger. This activates the two laser pointers.
5. Release the trigger to freeze/capture the image. Push the button to save the image or push the button to discard the image.

7 Description

7.1 View from the front

7.1.1 Figure

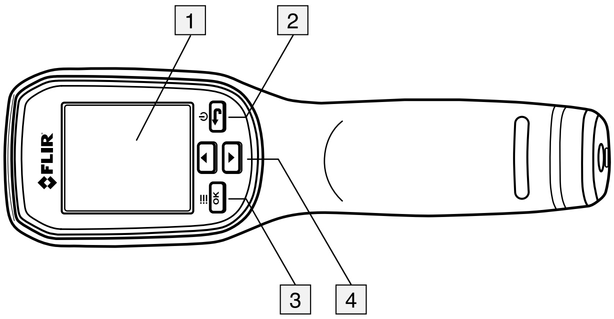


7.1.2 Explanation

1. Infrared imaging lens (captures the infrared image).
2. Dual laser pointers.
3. Infrared thermometer lens (captures the infrared thermometer reading).
4. Trigger.
5. Lanyard access.

7.2 View from the rear

7.2.1 Figure



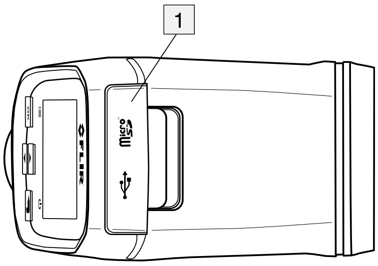
7.2.2 Explanation

1. Camera screen.
2. POWER-BACK button.
   Function:
   - Push and hold for more than 2 seconds to turn on/off the camera.
   - Push to exit a menu screen.
   - Push to discard an image immediately (within 5 seconds) after capturing an image.
3. MENU-OK button OK.
   Function:
   - Push to display the Settings menu, open menu options, and toggle certain options.
   - Push to save an image immediately (within 5 seconds) after capturing an image.

4. UP-DOWN buttons ▲ ▼.
   Function:
   - Push to navigate the Settings menu and select settings.
   - Push and hold the ▼ button for 4 seconds to open the image archive.
   - Push to scroll through saved images in the image archive.

7.3 View from the top

7.3.1 Figure

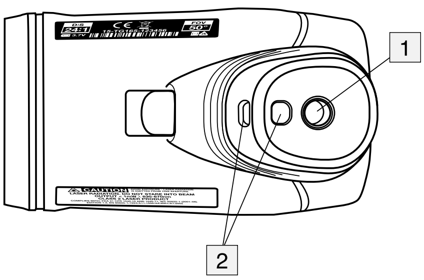


7.3.2 Explanation

1. Compartment for the Micro USB port and the Micro SD card slot.

7.4 View from the bottom

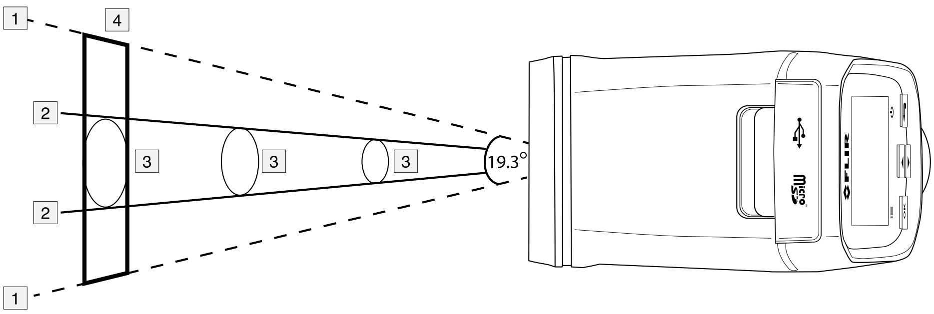
7.4.1 Figure



7.4.2 Explanation

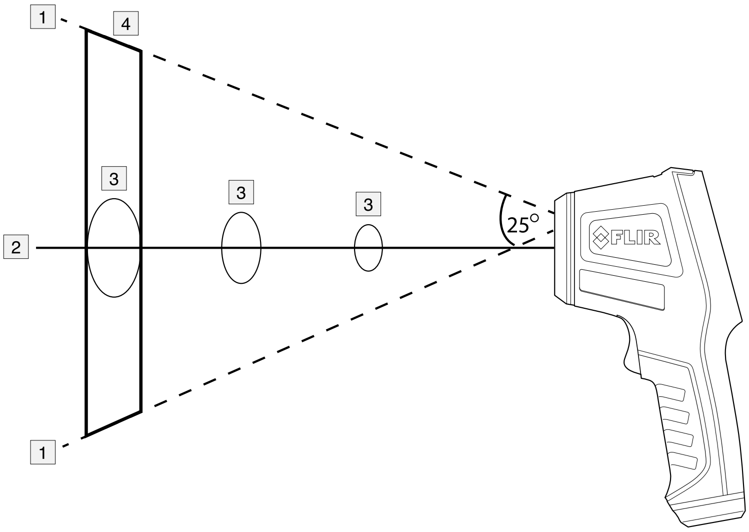
1. Tripod mount.
2. Lanyard access.

7.5 Infrared imager field of view — view from the top



1. Left and right (horizontal) boundaries of the infrared image field of view (19.3°).
2. Infrared thermometer field of view.
3. Infrared thermometer measurement spot.
4. Infrared image field.

7.6 IR imager field of view — view from the side

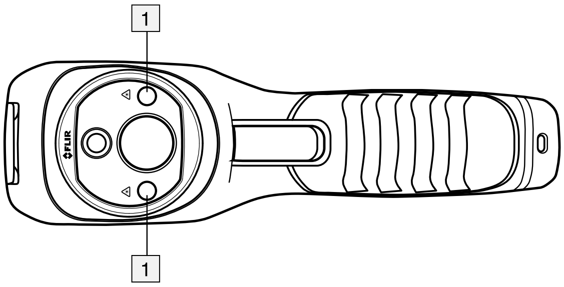


1. Top and bottom (vertical) boundaries of the infrared image field of view (25°).
2. Laser plane. (The two lasers are on the same plane when viewed from the side.)
3. Infrared thermometer measurement spot.
4. Infrared image field.

7.7 Laser pointers

7.7.1 General

The two laser pointers are used as targeting pointers when measuring the temperature.



1. Dual laser pointers.

⚠ **WARNING**
Do not look directly into the laser beam. The laser beam can cause eye irritation.

7.7.2 Laser warning label

A laser warning label with the following information is attached to the camera:

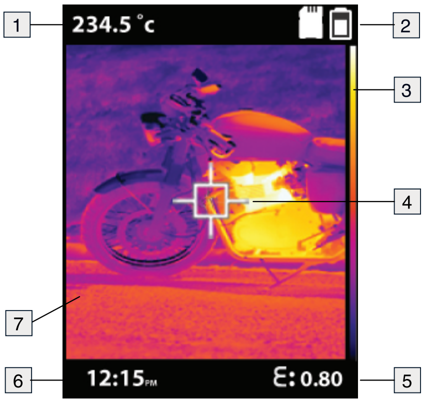
7.7.3 Laser rules and regulations

Wavelength: 630–670 nm. Maximum output power: 1 mW.

This product complies with FDA 1040.10 and 1040.11, IEC 60825–1 (2001–08). Edition 1.2, EN 60825–1:1994/A11:1996/A2:2001/A1:2002

7.8 Screen elements

7.8.1 Figure

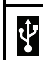


7.8.2 Explanation

1. Infrared thermometer reading.
2. Status icons.
3. Temperature scale.
4. Crosshair.
5. Current emissivity setting.
6. Time.
7. Thermal image.

Note The crosshair may not be in the center of the image. This is normal. The offset is due to calibration of the camera, to ensure the alignment and accuracy of the laser pointers and the infrared thermometer.

7.8.3 Status icons and indicators

	SD memory card properly inserted.
	Laser pointers activated.
	Battery status indicator.
	AC charging indicator. (Displayed when the camera is off while charging.)
	USB port charging indicator. (Displayed when the camera is off while charging.)

8 Operation

8.1 Charging the battery

When the icon is displayed, the battery requires a recharge.

Note The camera can be turned on and used while charging.

8.1.1 Charging the battery using the power supply

Follow this procedure:

1. Connect the power supply to a wall outlet.
2. Connect the camera to the power supply using a USB cable.

8.1.2 Charging the battery using a computer

Follow this procedure:

1. Connect the camera to a computer using a USB cable.

   Note

   - To charge the camera, the computer must be turned on.
   - Charging the camera using a USB cable connected to a computer takes *considerably* longer than using the FLIR power supply or the FLIR stand-alone battery charger.

8.2 Turning on and turning off the camera

Follow this procedure:

1. Push and hold the button for more than 2 seconds to turn on/off the camera.

Note

- The Auto Power Off function automatically turns off the camera after a selectable period of inactivity. For more information, see section 8.7.7 *Auto Power Off*, page 18.
- In the event that the camera screen freezes or “locks up”, push and hold the OK button and at the same time push and hold the button for 10 seconds. This resets and turns off the camera.

8.3 Measuring temperatures

8.3.1 General

The crosshair and the two laser pointers are used as targeting pointers for infrared temperature measurements. The crosshair indicates the center of the spot that the infrared thermometer is sensing. The object of interest should be framed by the two laser pointers.

Note

- For best results, temperature measurements should not be taken closer than 10″ (25.4 cm).
- The crosshair may not be in the center of the image. This is normal. The offset is due to calibration of the camera, to ensure the alignment and accuracy of the laser pointers and the infrared thermometer.

8.3.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Aim the camera toward the area under test.
2. Pull and hold the trigger. This activates the two laser pointers.
3. Move the camera until only the object of interest is between the laser pointer spots.
4. The measured temperature is displayed on the camera screen.

   Note If the temperature exceeds the measurement temperature range of the camera, *OL* is displayed on the screen.

8.4 Saving an image

8.4.1 General

To save images, a compatible Micro SD card must be inserted in the Micro SD card slot at the top of the camera (under the protective flap). When the camera is connected to a PC via a USB cable, the memory card functions as an external storage drive.

The images are saved in bitmap (bmp) format, with the temperature reading and the current emissivity setting displayed.

8.4.2 Naming convention

The naming convention for images is *FLIRxxxxx.bmp*, where *xxxxx* is a unique counter.

8.4.3 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Aim the camera toward a point of interest.
2. Pull and hold the trigger. This activates the two laser pointers.
3. Release the trigger to capture the image. This freezes the image for 5 seconds.
4. Within 5 seconds, do one of the following:
   - To save the image, push the OK button.
   - To discard the image, push the back button.

   Note If no button is pushed within 5 seconds, the image is automatically discarded.
5. If the image is stored successfully on the memory card, a large check mark is displayed.

   If the camera fails to save the image, a large failure icon is displayed. A failure may indicate a full, faulty, or incorrectly inserted memory card.

8.5 Viewing a saved image

8.5.1 General

When you save an image, the image file is stored on the memory card. To display the image again, open it from the image archive.

8.5.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. To open the image archive, do one of the following:
   - Push the button for 4 seconds.
   - Push the OK button to open the Settings menu. Select the icon and push the OK button. Select the icon and push the OK button.
2. Use the buttons to scroll through the saved images.
3. To close the image archive, push the button.

8.6 Deleting all images

8.6.1 General

You can delete all image files from the memory card.

Note You can also delete one or more images when the camera is connected to a computer via a USB cable. The memory card then functions as an external storage drive.

8.6.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Select the icon and push the OK button.
3. Select the icon and push the OK button.
4. Do one of the following:
   - Select the icon by pushing the OK button to delete all images.

     Note This will reformat and delete all data from the memory card.
   - Select the icon by pushing the button to cancel the delete action.
5. The icon is displayed for about 20 seconds while the card is being reformatted.
6. Push the button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7 Changing the settings

8.7.1 General

You can change a variety of settings in the camera. You do this on the Settings menu.

8.7.2 Palette

8.7.2.1 General

You can change the palette that the camera uses to display different temperatures.

Available options for the palette setting:

- Hot Iron
- Rainbow
- Grayscale

8.7.2.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the ▲ ▼ buttons to go to the palette icon.
3. Push the OK button to toggle through the options.
4. Push the ↩ button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.3 Emissivity

8.7.3.1 General

Emissivity is a measure of the amount of radiation coming from an object, compared with that from a perfect blackbody of the same temperature.

Emissivity values normally range from 0.1 to 0.95. A highly polished (mirror) surface falls below 0.1, while an oxidized or painted surface has a higher emissivity. Oil-based paint, regardless of its color in the visible spectrum, has an emissivity of over 0.9 in the infrared. Human skin has an emissivity of 0.97–0.98. Non-oxidized metals represent an extreme case of perfect opacity and high reflexivity, which does not vary greatly with wavelength. Consequently, the emissivity of metals is low—only increasing with temperature. For non-metals, emissivity tends to be high, and decreases with temperature.

For accurate measurements, you must select the correct emissivity setting. You can select one of the preset emissivity values or a custom value. For a list of emissivity data for different materials, see section 16 *Emissivity tables*, page 40.

Available options for the emissivity setting:

- 0.95
- 0.80
- 0.60
- 0.30
- custom (0.01–0.99)

Note If you are unsure about the emissivity value, it is recommended to set it to 0.95.

8.7.3.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the ▲ ▼ buttons to go to the ε icon.
3. Push the OK button. This displays a submenu.
4. Use the ▲ ▼ buttons to go to the desired option.

5. With one of the preset options selected, do the following:
   5.1. Push the OK button to save the setting and return to the Settings menu.
6. With the custom option selected, do the following:
   6.1. Push the OK button to activate the custom field.
   6.2. Use the up/down buttons to adjust the emissivity factor.
   6.3. Push the back button to inactivate the custom field.
   6.4. Push the back button to return to the Settings menu.
7. Push the back button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.4 Laser pointer

8.7.4.1 General

The laser pointers are used as targeting pointers when measuring the temperature.

Available options for the laser pointer setting:

- ON
- OFF

8.7.4.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the up/down buttons to go to the laser icon.
3. Push the OK button to toggle through the options.
4. Push the back button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.5 Temperature unit

8.7.5.1 General

Available options for the temperature unit setting:

- °*C* (Celsius)
- °*F* (Fahrenheit)

8.7.5.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the up/down buttons to go to the C/F icon.
3. Push the OK button to toggle through the options.
4. Push the back button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.6 Crosshair

8.7.6.1 General

The crosshair indicates the center of the infrared thermometer measurement spot.

Note The crosshair may not be in the center of the image. This is normal. The offset is due to calibration of the camera, to ensure the alignment and accuracy of the laser pointers and the infrared thermometer.

Available options for the crosshair setting:

- ON

- OFF

8.7.6.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the up/down buttons to go to the icon.
3. Push the OK button to toggle through the options.
4. Push the back button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.7 Auto Power Off

8.7.7.1 General

The Auto Power Off function automatically turns off the camera after a selectable period of inactivity.

Available options for the Auto Power Off setting:

- *OFF* (the camera will not turn off automatically)
- *1 m* (1 minute)
- *2 m* (2 minutes)
- *5 m* (5 minutes)
- *10 m* (10 minutes)

8.7.7.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the up/down buttons to go to the icon.
3. Push the OK button. This displays a submenu.
4. Use the up/down buttons to go to the desired setting.
5. Push the OK button to save the setting and return to the Settings menu.
6. Push the back button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.8 Date and time

8.7.8.1 General

You can set the date and time. You can also select the time format setting.

Available options for the time format setting:

- 24 hour
- 12 hour (AM/PM)

8.7.8.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the up/down buttons to go to the icon.
3. Push the OK button. This displays a submenu.
4. Use the up/down buttons to go to the desired setting.

5. With the date or time row selected, do the following:
   5.1. Push the OK button to toggle through the fields.
   5.2. Use the ▲ ▼ buttons to adjust the highlighted field.
   5.3. When the current row is finished, push the ↩ button to deselect all fields.
6. With the time format row selected, do the following:
   6.1. Push the OK button to toggle through the options.
7. Push the ↩ button to return to the Settings menu.
8. Push the ↩ button to exit the Settings menu.

8.7.9 Firmware information and calibration date

8.7.9.1 General

You can view the current firmware version and the calibration date.

To take advantage of our latest camera firmware, it is important that you keep your camera updated. For firmware updates, contact FLIR customer support.

The camera is calibrated at the factory prior to shipment. The camera is not serviceable in the field, and should be calibrated only by qualified FLIR Systems personnel. If calibration is required, contact FLIR customer support.

For more information, see section 4 *Customer help*, page 5.

Available information:

- Firmware version
- Calibration date

8.7.9.2 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Push the OK button to display the Settings menu.
2. Use the ▲ ▼ buttons to go to the ⓘ icon.
3. Push the OK button. This displays information about the firmware version and the calibration date.
4. Push the ↩ button to return to the Settings menu.
5. Push the ↩ button to exit the Settings menu.

9 Technical data

9.1 Note about technical data

FLIR Systems reserves the right to change specifications at any time without prior notice. Please check http://support.flir.com for latest changes.

9.2 Note about authoritative versions

The authoritative version of this publication is English. In the event of divergences due to translation errors, the English text has precedence.

Any late changes are first implemented in English.

9.3 FLIR TG167 (Global)

P/N: 74701-0104
Rev.: 28925

General description	
FLIR's new TG167 imaging infrared (IR) thermometer bridges the gap between single-spot IR thermometers and FLIR's legendary thermal cameras. Equipped with FLIR's exclusive Lepton micro thermal camera, the FLIR TG167 shows you where potential problems are brewing and where to aim your spot. The FLIR TG167 lets you see heat patterns, reliably measure temperature, and store images and data. Its menu uses intuitive icons, making it simple to operate. The FLIR TG167 also makes documentation easy by saving images you can download from the Micro SD card or over a USB connection and use for reports.	
Key features	
• See the heat and speed up troubleshooting. • Know where to measure temperature. • Grab and go simplicity—no special training required. • Pocket portable to fit a crowded tool bag. • Rugged and reliable.	

Imaging and optical data	
IR resolution	80 × 60 pixels
Thermal sensitivity/NETD	< 150 mK
Field of view (FOV)	25° × 19.6°
Minimum focus distance	0.1 m (4 in.)
Distance to spot ratio	24:1
Image frequency	9 Hz
Focus	Focus free

Detector data	
Detector type	Focal plane array (FPA), uncooled microbolometer
Spectral range	8–14 µm

Image presentation	
Display	2.0 in. TFT LCD

Measurement	
Object temperature range	–25 to +380°C (–13 to +716°F)
Accuracy	±1.5% or 1.5°C (2.7°F)
Minimum measurement distance	26 cm (10 in.)

Measurement analysis	
Center spot	Yes
Color palettes	• Hot Iron • Rainbow • Grayscale

Set-up	
Set-up commands	• Local adaptation of units, language, date, and time formats • Deletion of images
Emissivity correction	4 pre-set levels with custom adjustment of 0.1–0.99

Storage of images	
Memory type	Micro SD card
Image storage capacity	75 000 pictures with included 8 GB Micro SD card
Memory expansion	32 GB SD card maximum
Saved image format	Bitmap (BMP) image with temperature and emissivity

Laser pointers	
Laser	Dual diverging lasers indicate the temperature measurement area, activated by pulling the trigger

Power system	
Battery type	Rechargeable Li ion battery
Battery voltage	3.7 V
Battery operating time	>5 hours of continuous scanning with lasers
Battery charge life	30 days minimum
Charging system	Battery is charged inside the camera
Charging time	4 hours to 90%, 6 hours to 100%
Power management	Adjustable: off, 1 minute, 2 minutes, 5 minutes, 10 minutes

Environmental data	
Operating temperature range	–10 to +45°C (+14 to 113°F)
Storage temperature range	–30 to +55°C (–22 to 131°F)
Humidity (operating and storage)	0–90% relative humidity (RH) (0–37°C (32– 98.6° F)), 0–65% RH (37–45°C (98.6–113°F)), 0–45% RH (45–55°C (113–131°F))
EMC	• WEEE 2012/19/EC • RoHs 2011/65/EC • EN 61000-6-3 • EN 61000-6-2 • FCC 47 CFR Part 15 Class B
Magnetic fields	EN 61000-4-8
Encapsulation	IP 40 (IEC 60529)
Shock	25 g (IEC 60068-2-29)
Vibration	2 g (IEC 60068-2-6)
Drop	Designed for 2 m (6.6 ft.)
Safety	CE, FCC, PSC, FDA

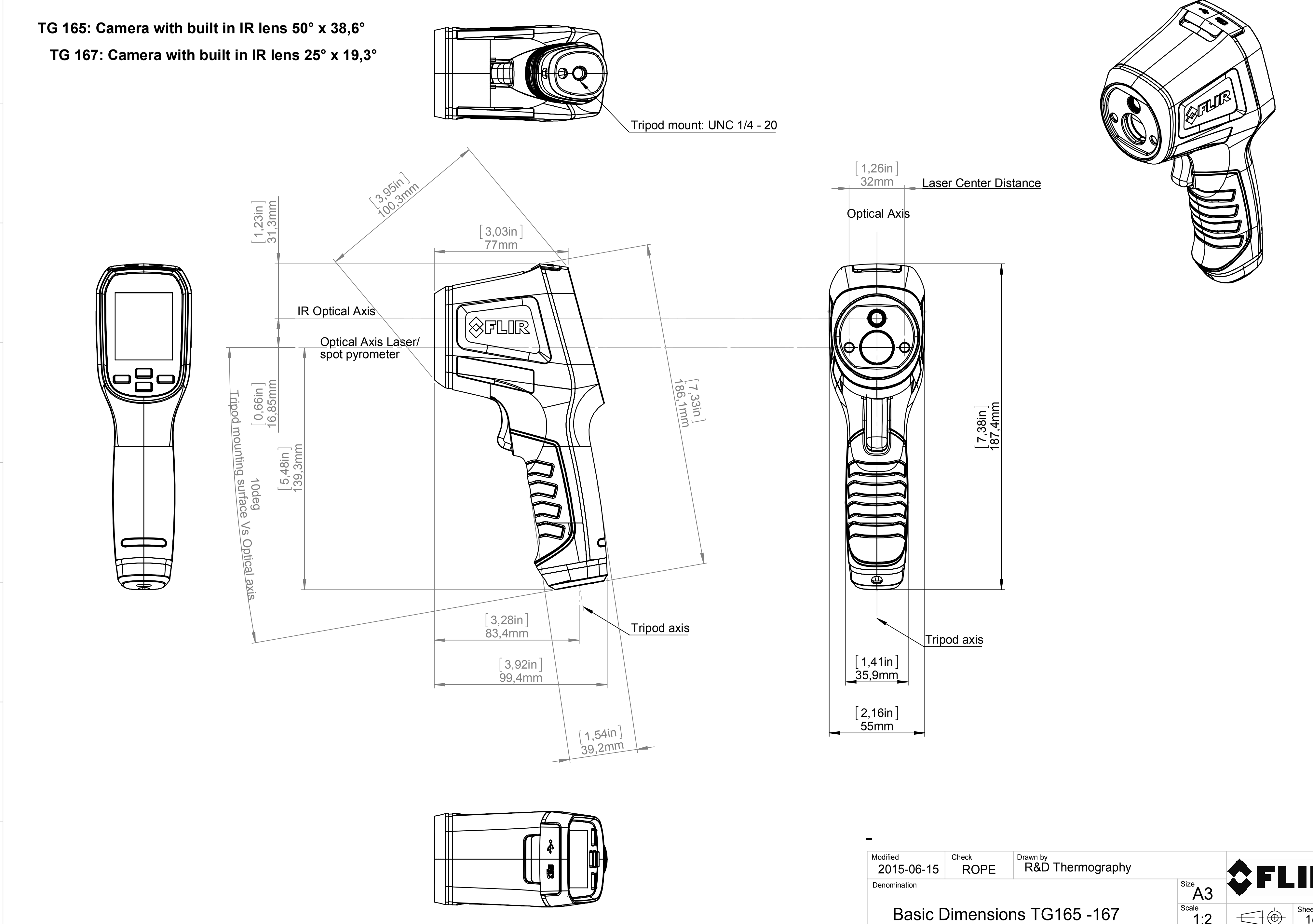
Physical data	
Camera weight, incl. battery	0.312 kg (11 oz.)
Camera size (L × W × H)	186 mm × 55 mm × 94 mm (7.3 in. × 2.2 in. × 3.7 in.)
Tripod mounting	1/4 in.-20 on handle bottom
Color	Black, white, silver
Material	PC-ABS, TPU

Shipping information	
Packaging, type	Color box with view of product in clamshell
List of contents	• Imaging IR thermometer • 8 GB Micro SD card • Printed documentation • Wrist strap lanyard • Power supply with separate USB cable
Packaging, weight	0.85 kg (1.8 lb.)
Packaging, size	34 cm × 15 cm × 12 cm (13.5 in. × 6 in. × 4.5 in.)
EAN-13	7332558010877
UPC-12	845188011628
Country of origin	China

10 Mechanical drawings

TG 165: Camera with built in IR lens 50° x 38,6°

TG 167: Camera with built in IR lens 25° x 19,3°



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11 Cleaning the camera

11.1 Camera housing, cables, and other items

11.1.1 Liquids

Use one of these liquids:

- Warm water
- A weak detergent solution

11.1.2 Equipment

A soft cloth

11.1.3 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Soak the cloth in the liquid.
2. Twist the cloth to remove excess liquid.
3. Clean the part with the cloth.

CAUTION

Do not apply solvents or similar liquids to the camera, the cables, or other items. This can cause damage.

11.2 Infrared lens

11.2.1 Liquids

Use one of these liquids:

- A commercial lens cleaning liquid with more than 30% isopropyl alcohol.
- 96% ethyl alcohol (C_2H_5OH).

11.2.2 Equipment

Cotton wool

11.2.3 Procedure

Follow this procedure:

1. Soak the cotton wool in the liquid.
2. Twist the cotton wool to remove excess liquid.
3. Clean the lens one time only and discard the cotton wool.

WARNING

Make sure that you read all applicable MSDS (Material Safety Data Sheets) and warning labels on containers before you use a liquid: the liquids can be dangerous.

CAUTION

- Be careful when you clean the infrared lens. The lens has a delicate anti-reflective coating.
- Do not clean the infrared lens too vigorously. This can damage the anti-reflective coating.

12 Application examples

12.1 Moisture & water damage

12.1.1 General

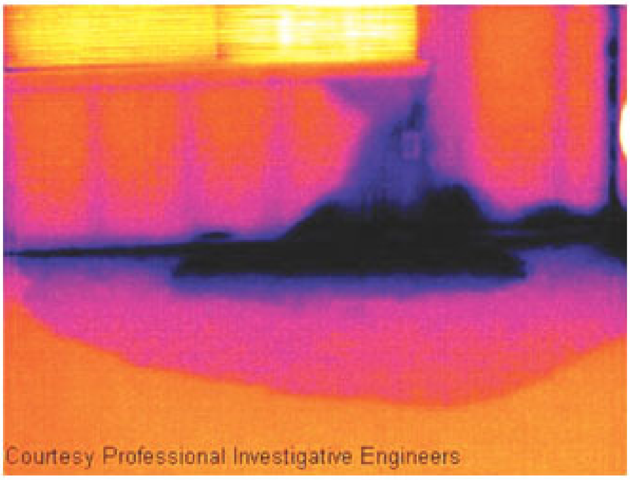
It is often possible to detect moisture and water damage in a house by using an infrared camera. This is partly because the damaged area has a different heat conduction property and partly because it has a different thermal capacity to store heat than the surrounding material.

Many factors can come into play as to how moisture or water damage will appear in an infrared image.

For example, heating and cooling of these parts takes place at different rates depending on the material and the time of day. For this reason, it is important that other methods are used as well to check for moisture or water damage.

12.1.2 Figure

The image below shows extensive water damage on an external wall where the water has penetrated the outer facing because of an incorrectly installed window ledge.



12.2 Faulty contact in socket

12.2.1 General

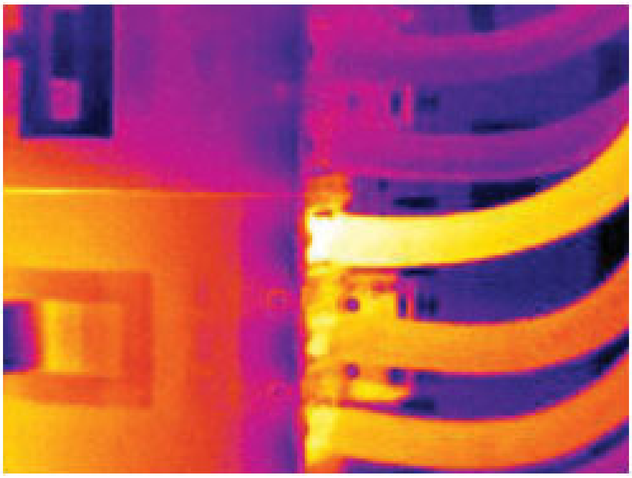
Depending on the type of connection a socket has, an improperly connected wire can result in local temperature increase. This temperature increase is caused by the reduced contact area between the connection point of the incoming wire and the socket , and can result in an electrical fire.

A socket's construction may differ dramatically from one manufacturer to another. For this reason, different faults in a socket can lead to the same typical appearance in an infrared image.

Local temperature increase can also result from improper contact between wire and socket, or from difference in load.

12.2.2 Figure

The image below shows a connection of a cable to a socket where improper contact in the connection has resulted in local temperature increase.



12.3 Oxidized socket

12.3.1 General

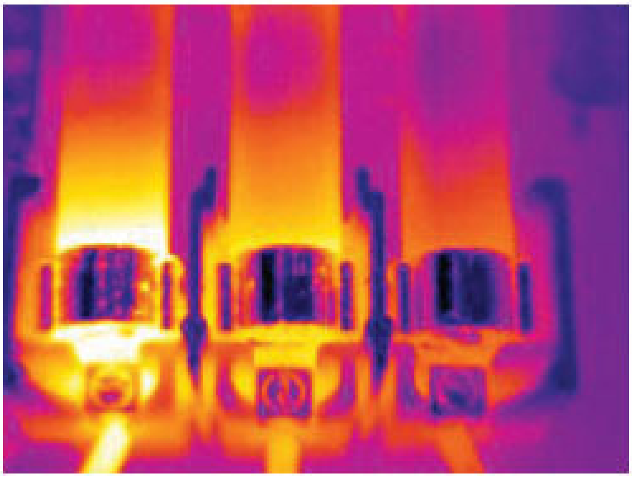
Depending on the type of socket and the environment in which the socket is installed, oxides may occur on the socket's contact surfaces. These oxides can lead to locally increased resistance when the socket is loaded, which can be seen in an infrared image as local temperature increase.

A socket's construction may differ dramatically from one manufacturer to another. For this reason, different faults in a socket can lead to the same typical appearance in an infrared image.

Local temperature increase can also result from improper contact between a wire and socket, or from difference in load.

12.3.2 Figure

The image below shows a series of fuses where one fuse has a raised temperature on the contact surfaces against the fuse holder. Because of the fuse holder's blank metal, the temperature increase is not visible there, while it is visible on the fuse's ceramic material.



12.4 Insulation deficiencies

12.4.1 General

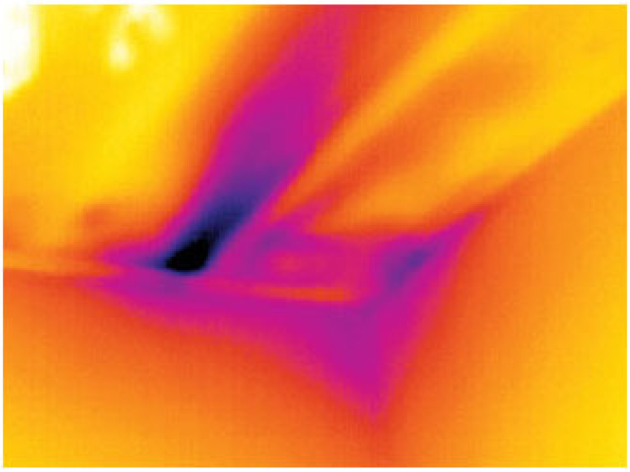
Insulation deficiencies may result from insulation losing volume over the course of time and thereby not entirely filling the cavity in a frame wall.

An infrared camera allows you to see these insulation deficiencies because they either have a different heat conduction property than sections with correctly installed insulation, and/or show the area where air is penetrating the frame of the building.

When you are inspecting a building, the temperature difference between the inside and outside should be at least 10°C (18°F). Studs, water pipes, concrete columns, and similar components may resemble an insulation deficiency in an infrared image. Minor differences may also occur naturally.

12.4.2 Figure

In the image below, insulation in the roof framing is lacking. Due to the absence of insulation, air has forced its way into the roof structure, which thus takes on a different characteristic appearance in the infrared image.



12.5 Draft

12.5.1 General

Draft can be found under baseboards, around door and window casings, and above ceiling trim. This type of draft is often possible to see with an infrared camera, as a cooler airstream cools down the surrounding surface.

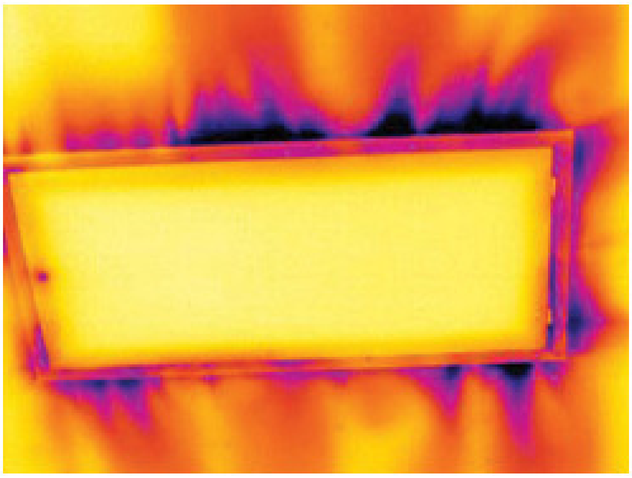
When you are investigating draft in a house, there should be sub-atmospheric pressure in the house. Close all doors, windows, and ventilation ducts, and allow the kitchen fan to run for a while before you take the infrared images.

An infrared image of draft often shows a typical stream pattern. You can see this stream pattern clearly in the picture below.

Also keep in mind that drafts can be concealed by heat from floor heating circuits.

12.5.2 Figure

The image below shows a ceiling hatch where faulty installation has resulted in a strong draft.

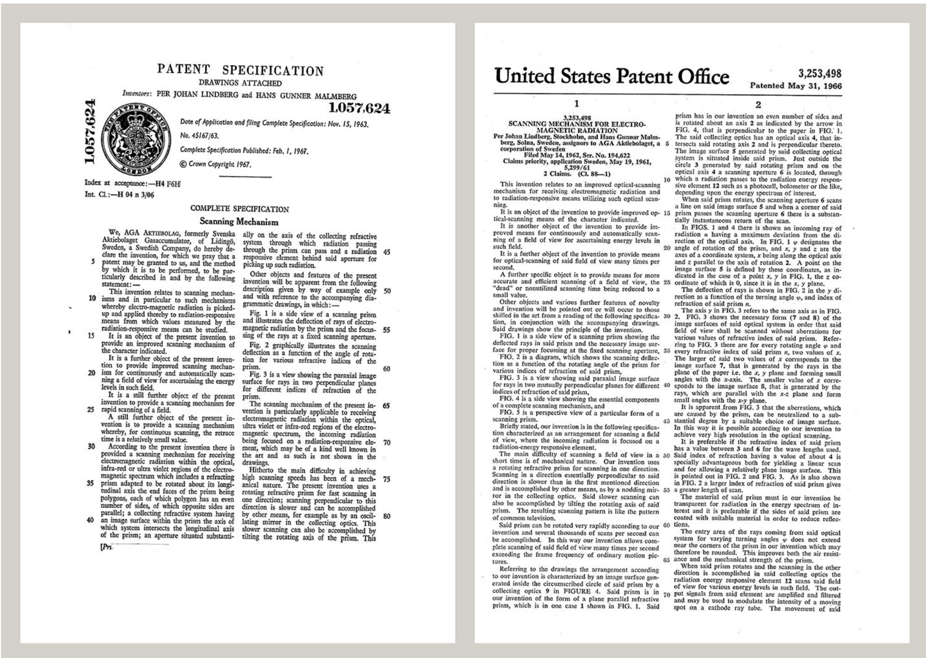


13 About FLIR Systems

FLIR Systems was established in 1978 to pioneer the development of high-performance infrared imaging systems, and is the world leader in the design, manufacture, and marketing of thermal imaging systems for a wide variety of commercial, industrial, and government applications. Today, FLIR Systems embraces five major companies with outstanding achievements in infrared technology since 1958—the Swedish AGEMA Infrared Systems (formerly AGA Infrared Systems), the three United States companies Indigo Systems, FSI, and Inframetrics, and the French company Cedip.

Since 2007, FLIR Systems has acquired several companies with world-leading expertise in sensor technologies:

- Extech Instruments (2007)
- Ifara Tecnologías (2008)
- Salvador Imaging (2009)
- OmniTech Partners (2009)
- Directed Perception (2009)
- Raymarine (2010)
- ICx Technologies (2010)
- TackTick Marine Digital Instruments (2011)
- Aerius Photonics (2011)
- Lorex Technology (2012)
- Traficon (2012)
- MARSS (2013)
- DigitalOptics micro-optics business (2013)
- DVTEL (2015)


PATENT SPECIFICATION

DRAWINGS ATTACHED

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COMPLETE SPECIFICATION

Scanning Mechanism

United States Patent Office

3,253,498

Patented May 31, 1966

SCANNING MECHANISM FOR ELECTRO-MAGNETIC RADIATION

Figure 13.1 Patent documents from the early 1960s

FLIR Systems has three manufacturing plants in the United States (Portland, OR, Boston, MA, Santa Barbara, CA) and one in Sweden (Stockholm). Since 2007 there is also a manufacturing plant in Tallinn, Estonia. Direct sales offices in Belgium, Brazil, China, France, Germany, Great Britain, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, Korea, Sweden, and the USA —together with a worldwide network of agents and distributors—support our international customer base.

FLIR Systems is at the forefront of innovation in the infrared camera industry. We anticipate market demand by constantly improving our existing cameras and developing new ones. The company has set milestones in product design and development such as the introduction of the first battery-operated portable camera for industrial inspections, and the first uncooled infrared camera, to mention just two innovations.

Figure 13.2 1969: Thermovision Model 661. The camera weighed approximately 25 kg (55 lb.), the oscilloscope 20 kg (44 lb.), and the tripod 15 kg (33 lb.). The operator also needed a 220 VAC generator set, and a 10 L (2.6 US gallon) jar with liquid nitrogen. To the left of the oscilloscope the Polaroid attachment (6 kg/13 lb.) can be seen.

Figure 13.3 2015: FLIR One, an accessory to iPhone and Android mobile phones. Weight: 90 g (3.2 oz.).

FLIR Systems manufactures all vital mechanical and electronic components of the camera systems itself. From detector design and manufacturing, to lenses and system electronics, to final testing and calibration, all production steps are carried out and supervised by our own engineers. The in-depth expertise of these infrared specialists ensures the accuracy and reliability of all vital components that are assembled into your infrared camera.

13.1 More than just an infrared camera

At FLIR Systems we recognize that our job is to go beyond just producing the best infrared camera systems. We are committed to enabling all users of our infrared camera systems to work more productively by providing them with the most powerful camera–software combination. Especially tailored software for predictive maintenance, R & D, and process monitoring is developed in-house. Most software is available in a wide variety of languages.

We support all our infrared cameras with a wide variety of accessories to adapt your equipment to the most demanding infrared applications.

13.2 Sharing our knowledge

Although our cameras are designed to be very user-friendly, there is a lot more to thermography than just knowing how to handle a camera. Therefore, FLIR Systems has founded the Infrared Training Center (ITC), a separate business unit, that provides certified training courses. Attending one of the ITC courses will give you a truly hands-on learning experience.

The staff of the ITC are also there to provide you with any application support you may need in putting infrared theory into practice.

13.3 Supporting our customers

FLIR Systems operates a worldwide service network to keep your camera running at all times. If you discover a problem with your camera, local service centers have all the equipment and expertise to solve it within the shortest possible time. Therefore, there is no need to send your camera to the other side of the world or to talk to someone who does not speak your language.

14 Glossary

absorption (absorption factor)	The amount of radiation absorbed by an object relative to the received radiation. A number between 0 and 1.
atmosphere	The gases between the object being measured and the camera, normally air.
autoadjust	A function making a camera perform an internal image correction.
autopalette	The IR image is shown with an uneven spread of colors, displaying cold objects as well as hot ones at the same time.
blackbody	Totally non-reflective object. All its radiation is due to its own temperature.
blackbody radiator	An IR radiating equipment with blackbody properties used to calibrate IR cameras.
calculated atmospheric transmission	A transmission value computed from the temperature, the relative humidity of air and the distance to the object.
cavity radiator	A bottle shaped radiator with an absorbing inside, viewed through the bottleneck.
color temperature	The temperature for which the color of a blackbody matches a specific color.
conduction	The process that makes heat diffuse into a material.
continuous adjust	A function that adjusts the image. The function works all the time, continuously adjusting brightness and contrast according to the image content.
convection	Convection is a heat transfer mode where a fluid is brought into motion, either by gravity or another force, thereby transferring heat from one place to another.
dual isotherm	An isotherm with two color bands, instead of one.
emissivity (emissivity factor)	The amount of radiation coming from an object, compared to that of a blackbody. A number between 0 and 1.
emittance	Amount of energy emitted from an object per unit of time and area (W/m^2)
environment	Objects and gases that emit radiation towards the object being measured.
estimated atmospheric transmission	A transmission value, supplied by a user, replacing a calculated one
external optics	Extra lenses, filters, heat shields etc. that can be put between the camera and the object being measured.
filter	A material transparent only to some of the infrared wavelengths.
FOV	Field of view: The horizontal angle that can be viewed through an IR lens.
FPA	Focal plane array: A type of IR detector.
graybody	An object that emits a fixed fraction of the amount of energy of a blackbody for each wavelength.
IFOV	Instantaneous field of view: A measure of the geometrical resolution of an IR camera.

image correction (internal or external)	A way of compensating for sensitivity differences in various parts of live images and also of stabilizing the camera.
infrared	Non-visible radiation, having a wavelength from about 2–13 μm.
IR	infrared
isotherm	A function highlighting those parts of an image that fall above, below or between one or more temperature intervals.
isothermal cavity	A bottle-shaped radiator with a uniform temperature viewed through the bottleneck.
Laser LocatIR	An electrically powered light source on the camera that emits laser radiation in a thin, concentrated beam to point at certain parts of the object in front of the camera.
laser pointer	An electrically powered light source on the camera that emits laser radiation in a thin, concentrated beam to point at certain parts of the object in front of the camera.
level	The center value of the temperature scale, usually expressed as a signal value.
manual adjust	A way to adjust the image by manually changing certain parameters.
NETD	Noise equivalent temperature difference. A measure of the image noise level of an IR camera.
noise	Undesired small disturbance in the infrared image
object parameters	A set of values describing the circumstances under which the measurement of an object was made, and the object itself (such as emissivity, reflected apparent temperature, distance etc.)
object signal	A non-calibrated value related to the amount of radiation received by the camera from the object.
palette	The set of colors used to display an IR image.
pixel	Stands for *picture element*. One single spot in an image.
radiance	Amount of energy emitted from an object per unit of time, area and angle ($W/m^2/sr$)
radiant power	Amount of energy emitted from an object per unit of time (W)
radiation	The process by which electromagnetic energy, is emitted by an object or a gas.
radiator	A piece of IR radiating equipment.
range	The current overall temperature measurement limitation of an IR camera. Cameras can have several ranges. Expressed as two blackbody temperatures that limit the current calibration.
reference temperature	A temperature which the ordinary measured values can be compared with.
reflection	The amount of radiation reflected by an object relative to the received radiation. A number between 0 and 1.
relative humidity	Relative humidity represents the ratio between the current water vapour mass in the air and the maximum it may contain in saturation conditions.
saturation color	The areas that contain temperatures outside the present level/span settings are colored with the saturation colors. The saturation colors contain an ‘overflow’ color and an ‘underflow’ color. There is also a third red saturation color that marks everything saturated by the detector indicating that the range should probably be changed.

span	The interval of the temperature scale, usually expressed as a signal value.
spectral (radiant) emittance	Amount of energy emitted from an object per unit of time, area and wavelength ($W/m^2/\mu m$)
temperature difference, or difference of temperature.	A value which is the result of a subtraction between two temperature values.
temperature range	The current overall temperature measurement limitation of an IR camera. Cameras can have several ranges. Expressed as two blackbody temperatures that limit the current calibration.
temperature scale	The way in which an IR image currently is displayed. Expressed as two temperature values limiting the colors.
thermogram	infrared image
transmission (or transmittance) factor	Gases and materials can be more or less transparent. Transmission is the amount of IR radiation passing through them. A number between 0 and 1.
transparent isotherm	An isotherm showing a linear spread of colors, instead of covering the highlighted parts of the image.
visual	Refers to the video mode of a IR camera, as opposed to the normal, thermographic mode. When a camera is in video mode it captures ordinary video images, while thermographic images are captured when the camera is in IR mode.

15 History of infrared technology

Before the year 1800, the existence of the infrared portion of the electromagnetic spectrum wasn't even suspected. The original significance of the infrared spectrum, or simply 'the infrared' as it is often called, as a form of heat radiation is perhaps less obvious today than it was at the time of its discovery by Herschel in 1800.

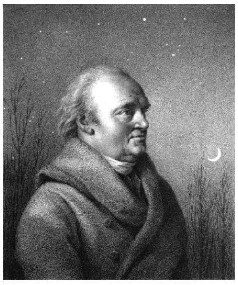

Figure 15.1 Sir William Herschel (1738–1822)

The discovery was made accidentally during the search for a new optical material. Sir William Herschel – Royal Astronomer to King George III of England, and already famous for his discovery of the planet Uranus – was searching for an optical filter material to reduce the brightness of the sun's image in telescopes during solar observations. While testing different samples of colored glass which gave similar reductions in brightness he was intrigued to find that some of the samples passed very little of the sun's heat, while others passed so much heat that he risked eye damage after only a few seconds' observation.

Herschel was soon convinced of the necessity of setting up a systematic experiment, with the objective of finding a single material that would give the desired reduction in brightness as well as the maximum reduction in heat. He began the experiment by actually repeating Newton's prism experiment, but looking for the heating effect rather than the visual distribution of intensity in the spectrum. He first blackened the bulb of a sensitive mercury-in-glass thermometer with ink, and with this as his radiation detector he proceeded to test the heating effect of the various colors of the spectrum formed on the top of a table by passing sunlight through a glass prism. Other thermometers, placed outside the sun's rays, served as controls.

As the blackened thermometer was moved slowly along the colors of the spectrum, the temperature readings showed a steady increase from the violet end to the red end. This was not entirely unexpected, since the Italian researcher, Landriani, in a similar experiment in 1777 had observed much the same effect. It was Herschel, however, who was the first to recognize that there must be a point where the heating effect reaches a maximum, and that measurements confined to the visible portion of the spectrum failed to locate this point.

Figure 15.2 Marsilio Landriani (1746–1815)

Moving the thermometer into the dark region beyond the red end of the spectrum, Herschel confirmed that the heating continued to increase. The maximum point, when he found it, lay well beyond the red end – in what is known today as the 'infrared wavelengths'.

When Herschel revealed his discovery, he referred to this new portion of the electromagnetic spectrum as the ‘thermometrical spectrum’. The radiation itself he sometimes referred to as ‘dark heat’, or simply ‘the invisible rays’. Ironically, and contrary to popular opinion, it wasn't Herschel who originated the term ‘infrared’. The word only began to appear in print around 75 years later, and it is still unclear who should receive credit as the originator.

Herschel’s use of glass in the prism of his original experiment led to some early controversies with his contemporaries about the actual existence of the infrared wavelengths. Different investigators, in attempting to confirm his work, used various types of glass indiscriminately, having different transparencies in the infrared. Through his later experiments, Herschel was aware of the limited transparency of glass to the newly-discovered thermal radiation, and he was forced to conclude that optics for the infrared would probably be doomed to the use of reflective elements exclusively (i.e. plane and curved mirrors). Fortunately, this proved to be true only until 1830, when the Italian investigator, Melloni, made his great discovery that naturally occurring rock salt (NaCl) – which was available in large enough natural crystals to be made into lenses and prisms – is remarkably transparent to the infrared. The result was that rock salt became the principal infrared optical material, and remained so for the next hundred years, until the art of synthetic crystal growing was mastered in the 1930’s.

Figure 15.3 Macedonio Melloni (1798–1854)

Thermometers, as radiation detectors, remained unchallenged until 1829, the year Nobili invented the thermocouple. (Herschel’s own thermometer could be read to 0.2 °C (0.036 °F), and later models were able to be read to 0.05 °C (0.09 °F)). Then a breakthrough occurred; Melloni connected a number of thermocouples in series to form the first thermopile. The new device was at least 40 times as sensitive as the best thermometer of the day for detecting heat radiation – capable of detecting the heat from a person standing three meters away.

The first so-called ‘heat-picture’ became possible in 1840, the result of work by Sir John Herschel, son of the discoverer of the infrared and a famous astronomer in his own right. Based upon the differential evaporation of a thin film of oil when exposed to a heat pattern focused upon it, the thermal image could be seen by reflected light where the interference effects of the oil film made the image visible to the eye. Sir John also managed to obtain a primitive record of the thermal image on paper, which he called a ‘thermograph’.

Figure 15.4 Samuel P. Langley (1834–1906)

The improvement of infrared-detector sensitivity progressed slowly. Another major breakthrough, made by Langley in 1880, was the invention of the bolometer. This consisted of a thin blackened strip of platinum connected in one arm of a Wheatstone bridge circuit upon which the infrared radiation was focused and to which a sensitive galvanometer responded. This instrument is said to have been able to detect the heat from a cow at a distance of 400 meters.

An English scientist, Sir James Dewar, first introduced the use of liquefied gases as cooling agents (such as liquid nitrogen with a temperature of -196 °C (-320.8 °F)) in low temperature research. In 1892 he invented a unique vacuum insulating container in which it is possible to store liquefied gases for entire days. The common 'thermos bottle', used for storing hot and cold drinks, is based upon his invention.

Between the years 1900 and 1920, the inventors of the world 'discovered' the infrared. Many patents were issued for devices to detect personnel, artillery, aircraft, ships – and even icebergs. The first operating systems, in the modern sense, began to be developed during the 1914–18 war, when both sides had research programs devoted to the military exploitation of the infrared. These programs included experimental systems for enemy intrusion/detection, remote temperature sensing, secure communications, and 'flying torpedo' guidance. An infrared search system tested during this period was able to detect an approaching airplane at a distance of 1.5 km (0.94 miles), or a person more than 300 meters (984 ft.) away.

The most sensitive systems up to this time were all based upon variations of the bolometer idea, but the period between the two wars saw the development of two revolutionary new infrared detectors: the image converter and the photon detector. At first, the image converter received the greatest attention by the military, because it enabled an observer for the first time in history to literally 'see in the dark'. However, the sensitivity of the image converter was limited to the near infrared wavelengths, and the most interesting military targets (i.e. enemy soldiers) had to be illuminated by infrared search beams. Since this involved the risk of giving away the observer's position to a similarly-equipped enemy observer, it is understandable that military interest in the image converter eventually faded.

The tactical military disadvantages of so-called 'active' (i.e. search beam-equipped) thermal imaging systems provided impetus following the 1939–45 war for extensive secret military infrared-research programs into the possibilities of developing 'passive' (no search beam) systems around the extremely sensitive photon detector. During this period, military secrecy regulations completely prevented disclosure of the status of infrared-imaging technology. This secrecy only began to be lifted in the middle of the 1950's, and from that time adequate thermal-imaging devices finally began to be available to civilian science and industry.

16 Emissivity tables

This section presents a compilation of emissivity data from the infrared literature and measurements made by FLIR Systems.

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Note The emissivity values in the table below are recorded using a shortwave (SW) camera. The values should be regarded as recommendations only and used with caution.

16.2 Tables

Table 16.1 T: Total spectrum; SW: 2–5 µm; LW: 8–14 µm, LLW: 6.5–20 µm; 1: Material; 2: Specification; 3:Temperature in °C; 4: Spectrum; 5: Emissivity: 6:Reference

1	2	3	4	5	6
3M type 35	Vinyl electrical tape (several colors)	< 80	LW	≈ 0.96	13
3M type 88	Black vinyl electrical tape	< 105	LW	≈ 0.96	13
3M type 88	Black vinyl electrical tape	< 105	MW	< 0.96	13
3M type Super 33 +	Black vinyl electrical tape	< 80	LW	≈ 0.96	13
Aluminum	anodized sheet	100	T	0.55	2
Aluminum	anodized, black, dull	70	SW	0.67	9
Aluminum	anodized, black, dull	70	LW	0.95	9
Aluminum	anodized, light gray, dull	70	SW	0.61	9

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Aluminum	anodized, light gray, dull	70	LW	0.97	9
Aluminum	as received, plate	100	T	0.09	4
Aluminum	as received, sheet	100	T	0.09	2
Aluminum	cast, blast cleaned	70	SW	0.47	9
Aluminum	cast, blast cleaned	70	LW	0.46	9
Aluminum	dipped in HNO_3, plate	100	T	0.05	4
Aluminum	foil	27	10 µm	0.04	3
Aluminum	foil	27	3 µm	0.09	3
Aluminum	oxidized, strongly	50–500	T	0.2–0.3	1
Aluminum	polished	50–100	T	0.04–0.06	1
Aluminum	polished plate	100	T	0.05	4
Aluminum	polished, sheet	100	T	0.05	2
Aluminum	rough surface	20–50	T	0.06–0.07	1
Aluminum	roughened	27	10 µm	0.18	3
Aluminum	roughened	27	3 µm	0.28	3
Aluminum	sheet, 4 samples differently scratched	70	SW	0.05–0.08	9
Aluminum	sheet, 4 samples differently scratched	70	LW	0.03–0.06	9
Aluminum	vacuum deposited	20	T	0.04	2
Aluminum	weathered, heavily	17	SW	0.83–0.94	5
Aluminum bronze		20	T	0.60	1
Aluminum hydroxide	powder		T	0.28	1
Aluminum oxide	activated, powder		T	0.46	1
Aluminum oxide	pure, powder (alumina)		T	0.16	1
Asbestos	board	20	T	0.96	1
Asbestos	fabric		T	0.78	1
Asbestos	floor tile	35	SW	0.94	7
Asbestos	paper	40–400	T	0.93–0.95	1
Asbestos	powder		T	0.40–0.60	1
Asbestos	slate	20	T	0.96	1
Asphalt paving		4	LLW	0.967	8
Brass	dull, tarnished	20–350	T	0.22	1
Brass	oxidized	100	T	0.61	2
Brass	oxidized	70	SW	0.04–0.09	9
Brass	oxidized	70	LW	0.03–0.07	9
Brass	oxidized at 600°C	200–600	T	0.59–0.61	1

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Brass	polished	200	T	0.03	1
Brass	polished, highly	100	T	0.03	2
Brass	rubbed with 80-grit emery	20	T	0.20	2
Brass	sheet, rolled	20	T	0.06	1
Brass	sheet, worked with emery	20	T	0.2	1
Brick	alumina	17	SW	0.68	5
Brick	common	17	SW	0.86–0.81	5
Brick	Dinas silica, glazed, rough	1100	T	0.85	1
Brick	Dinas silica, refractory	1000	T	0.66	1
Brick	Dinas silica, un-glazed, rough	1000	T	0.80	1
Brick	firebrick	17	SW	0.68	5
Brick	fireclay	1000	T	0.75	1
Brick	fireclay	1200	T	0.59	1
Brick	fireclay	20	T	0.85	1
Brick	masonry	35	SW	0.94	7
Brick	masonry, plastered	20	T	0.94	1
Brick	red, common	20	T	0.93	2
Brick	red, rough	20	T	0.88–0.93	1
Brick	refractory, corundum	1000	T	0.46	1
Brick	refractory, magnesite	1000–1300	T	0.38	1
Brick	refractory, strongly radiating	500–1000	T	0.8–0.9	1
Brick	refractory, weakly radiating	500–1000	T	0.65–0.75	1
Brick	silica, 95% SiO_2	1230	T	0.66	1
Brick	sillimanite, 33% SiO_2, 64% Al_2O_3	1500	T	0.29	1
Brick	waterproof	17	SW	0.87	5
Bronze	phosphor bronze	70	SW	0.08	9
Bronze	phosphor bronze	70	LW	0.06	9
Bronze	polished	50	T	0.1	1
Bronze	porous, rough	50–150	T	0.55	1
Bronze	powder		T	0.76–0.80	1
Carbon	candle soot	20	T	0.95	2
Carbon	charcoal powder		T	0.96	1
Carbon	graphite powder		T	0.97	1
Carbon	graphite, filed surface	20	T	0.98	2
Carbon	lampblack	20–400	T	0.95–0.97	1

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Chipboard	untreated	20	SW	0.90	6
Chromium	polished	50	T	0.10	1
Chromium	polished	500–1000	T	0.28–0.38	1
Clay	fired	70	T	0.91	1
Cloth	black	20	T	0.98	1
Concrete		20	T	0.92	2
Concrete	dry	36	SW	0.95	7
Concrete	rough	17	SW	0.97	5
Concrete	walkway	5	LLW	0.974	8
Copper	commercial, burnished	20	T	0.07	1
Copper	electrolytic, carefully polished	80	T	0.018	1
Copper	electrolytic, polished	–34	T	0.006	4
Copper	molten	1100–1300	T	0.13–0.15	1
Copper	oxidized	50	T	0.6–0.7	1
Copper	oxidized to blackness		T	0.88	1
Copper	oxidized, black	27	T	0.78	4
Copper	oxidized, heavily	20	T	0.78	2
Copper	polished	50–100	T	0.02	1
Copper	polished	100	T	0.03	2
Copper	polished, commercial	27	T	0.03	4
Copper	polished, mechanical	22	T	0.015	4
Copper	pure, carefully prepared surface	22	T	0.008	4
Copper	scraped	27	T	0.07	4
Copper dioxide	powder		T	0.84	1
Copper oxide	red, powder		T	0.70	1
Ebonite			T	0.89	1
Emery	coarse	80	T	0.85	1
Enamel		20	T	0.9	1
Enamel	lacquer	20	T	0.85–0.95	1
Fiber board	hard, untreated	20	SW	0.85	6
Fiber board	masonite	70	SW	0.75	9
Fiber board	masonite	70	LW	0.88	9
Fiber board	particle board	70	SW	0.77	9
Fiber board	particle board	70	LW	0.89	9
Fiber board	porous, untreated	20	SW	0.85	6
Glass pane (float glass)	non-coated	20	LW	0.97	14
Gold	polished	130	T	0.018	1

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Gold	polished, carefully	200–600	T	0.02–0.03	1
Gold	polished, highly	100	T	0.02	2
Granite	polished	20	LLW	0.849	8
Granite	rough	21	LLW	0.879	8
Granite	rough, 4 different samples	70	SW	0.95–0.97	9
Granite	rough, 4 different samples	70	LW	0.77–0.87	9
Gypsum		20	T	0.8–0.9	1
Ice: See Water					
Iron and steel	cold rolled	70	SW	0.20	9
Iron and steel	cold rolled	70	LW	0.09	9
Iron and steel	covered with red rust	20	T	0.61–0.85	1
Iron and steel	electrolytic	100	T	0.05	4
Iron and steel	electrolytic	22	T	0.05	4
Iron and steel	electrolytic	260	T	0.07	4
Iron and steel	electrolytic, carefully polished	175–225	T	0.05–0.06	1
Iron and steel	freshly worked with emery	20	T	0.24	1
Iron and steel	ground sheet	950–1100	T	0.55–0.61	1
Iron and steel	heavily rusted sheet	20	T	0.69	2
Iron and steel	hot rolled	130	T	0.60	1
Iron and steel	hot rolled	20	T	0.77	1
Iron and steel	oxidized	100	T	0.74	4
Iron and steel	oxidized	100	T	0.74	1
Iron and steel	oxidized	1227	T	0.89	4
Iron and steel	oxidized	125–525	T	0.78–0.82	1
Iron and steel	oxidized	200	T	0.79	2
Iron and steel	oxidized	200–600	T	0.80	1
Iron and steel	oxidized strongly	50	T	0.88	1
Iron and steel	oxidized strongly	500	T	0.98	1
Iron and steel	polished	100	T	0.07	2
Iron and steel	polished	400–1000	T	0.14–0.38	1
Iron and steel	polished sheet	750–1050	T	0.52–0.56	1
Iron and steel	rolled sheet	50	T	0.56	1
Iron and steel	rolled, freshly	20	T	0.24	1
Iron and steel	rough, plane surface	50	T	0.95–0.98	1
Iron and steel	rusted red, sheet	22	T	0.69	4
Iron and steel	rusted, heavily	17	SW	0.96	5
Iron and steel	rusty, red	20	T	0.69	1
Iron and steel	shiny oxide layer, sheet,	20	T	0.82	1

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Iron and steel	shiny, etched	150	T	0.16	1
Iron and steel	wrought, carefully polished	40–250	T	0.28	1
Iron galvanized	heavily oxidized	70	SW	0.64	9
Iron galvanized	heavily oxidized	70	LW	0.85	9
Iron galvanized	sheet	92	T	0.07	4
Iron galvanized	sheet, burnished	30	T	0.23	1
Iron galvanized	sheet, oxidized	20	T	0.28	1
Iron tinned	sheet	24	T	0.064	4
Iron, cast	casting	50	T	0.81	1
Iron, cast	ingots	1000	T	0.95	1
Iron, cast	liquid	1300	T	0.28	1
Iron, cast	machined	800–1000	T	0.60–0.70	1
Iron, cast	oxidized	100	T	0.64	2
Iron, cast	oxidized	260	T	0.66	4
Iron, cast	oxidized	38	T	0.63	4
Iron, cast	oxidized	538	T	0.76	4
Iron, cast	oxidized at 600°C	200–600	T	0.64–0.78	1
Iron, cast	polished	200	T	0.21	1
Iron, cast	polished	38	T	0.21	4
Iron, cast	polished	40	T	0.21	2
Iron, cast	unworked	900–1100	T	0.87–0.95	1
Krylon Ultra-flat black 1602	Flat black	Room temperature up to 175	LW	≈ 0.96	12
Krylon Ultra-flat black 1602	Flat black	Room temperature up to 175	MW	≈ 0.97	12
Lacquer	3 colors sprayed on Aluminum	70	SW	0.50–0.53	9
Lacquer	3 colors sprayed on Aluminum	70	LW	0.92–0.94	9
Lacquer	Aluminum on rough surface	20	T	0.4	1
Lacquer	bakelite	80	T	0.83	1
Lacquer	black, dull	40–100	T	0.96–0.98	1
Lacquer	black, matte	100	T	0.97	2
Lacquer	black, shiny, sprayed on iron	20	T	0.87	1
Lacquer	heat–resistant	100	T	0.92	1
Lacquer	white	100	T	0.92	2
Lacquer	white	40–100	T	0.8–0.95	1
Lead	oxidized at 200°C	200	T	0.63	1
Lead	oxidized, gray	20	T	0.28	1
Lead	oxidized, gray	22	T	0.28	4
Lead	shiny	250	T	0.08	1

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Lead	unoxidized, polished	100	T	0.05	4
Lead red		100	T	0.93	4
Lead red, powder		100	T	0.93	1
Leather	tanned		T	0.75–0.80	1
Lime			T	0.3–0.4	1
Magnesium		22	T	0.07	4
Magnesium		260	T	0.13	4
Magnesium		538	T	0.18	4
Magnesium	polished	20	T	0.07	2
Magnesium powder			T	0.86	1
Molybdenum		1500–2200	T	0.19–0.26	1
Molybdenum		600–1000	T	0.08–0.13	1
Molybdenum	filament	700–2500	T	0.1–0.3	1
Mortar		17	SW	0.87	5
Mortar	dry	36	SW	0.94	7
Nextel Velvet 811-21 Black	Flat black	–60–150	LW	> 0.97	10 and 11
Nichrome	rolled	700	T	0.25	1
Nichrome	sandblasted	700	T	0.70	1
Nichrome	wire, clean	50	T	0.65	1
Nichrome	wire, clean	500–1000	T	0.71–0.79	1
Nichrome	wire, oxidized	50–500	T	0.95–0.98	1
Nickel	bright matte	122	T	0.041	4
Nickel	commercially pure, polished	100	T	0.045	1
Nickel	commercially pure, polished	200–400	T	0.07–0.09	1
Nickel	electrolytic	22	T	0.04	4
Nickel	electrolytic	260	T	0.07	4
Nickel	electrolytic	38	T	0.06	4
Nickel	electrolytic	538	T	0.10	4
Nickel	electroplated on iron, polished	22	T	0.045	4
Nickel	electroplated on iron, unpolished	20	T	0.11–0.40	1
Nickel	electroplated on iron, unpolished	22	T	0.11	4
Nickel	electroplated, polished	20	T	0.05	2
Nickel	oxidized	1227	T	0.85	4
Nickel	oxidized	200	T	0.37	2
Nickel	oxidized	227	T	0.37	4
Nickel	oxidized at 600°C	200–600	T	0.37–0.48	1
Nickel	polished	122	T	0.045	4

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Nickel	wire	200–1000	T	0.1–0.2	1
Nickel oxide		1000–1250	T	0.75–0.86	1
Nickel oxide		500–650	T	0.52–0.59	1
Oil, lubricating	0.025 mm film	20	T	0.27	2
Oil, lubricating	0.050 mm film	20	T	0.46	2
Oil, lubricating	0.125 mm film	20	T	0.72	2
Oil, lubricating	film on Ni base: Ni base only	20	T	0.05	2
Oil, lubricating	thick coating	20	T	0.82	2
Paint	8 different colors and qualities	70	SW	0.88–0.96	9
Paint	8 different colors and qualities	70	LW	0.92–0.94	9
Paint	Aluminum, various ages	50–100	T	0.27–0.67	1
Paint	cadmium yellow		T	0.28–0.33	1
Paint	chrome green		T	0.65–0.70	1
Paint	cobalt blue		T	0.7–0.8	1
Paint	oil	17	SW	0.87	5
Paint	oil based, average of 16 colors	100	T	0.94	2
Paint	oil, black flat	20	SW	0.94	6
Paint	oil, black gloss	20	SW	0.92	6
Paint	oil, gray flat	20	SW	0.97	6
Paint	oil, gray gloss	20	SW	0.96	6
Paint	oil, various colors	100	T	0.92–0.96	1
Paint	plastic, black	20	SW	0.95	6
Paint	plastic, white	20	SW	0.84	6
Paper	4 different colors	70	SW	0.68–0.74	9
Paper	4 different colors	70	LW	0.92–0.94	9
Paper	black		T	0.90	1
Paper	black, dull		T	0.94	1
Paper	black, dull	70	SW	0.86	9
Paper	black, dull	70	LW	0.89	9
Paper	blue, dark		T	0.84	1
Paper	coated with black lacquer		T	0.93	1
Paper	green		T	0.85	1
Paper	red		T	0.76	1
Paper	white	20	T	0.7–0.9	1
Paper	white bond	20	T	0.93	2
Paper	white, 3 different glosses	70	SW	0.76–0.78	9
Paper	white, 3 different glosses	70	LW	0.88–0.90	9

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Paper	yellow		T	0.72	1
Plaster		17	SW	0.86	5
Plaster	plasterboard, untreated	20	SW	0.90	6
Plaster	rough coat	20	T	0.91	2
Plastic	glass fibre laminate (printed circ. board)	70	SW	0.94	9
Plastic	glass fibre laminate (printed circ. board)	70	LW	0.91	9
Plastic	polyurethane isolation board	70	LW	0.55	9
Plastic	polyurethane isolation board	70	SW	0.29	9
Plastic	PVC, plastic floor, dull, structured	70	SW	0.94	9
Plastic	PVC, plastic floor, dull, structured	70	LW	0.93	9
Platinum		100	T	0.05	4
Platinum		1000–1500	T	0.14–0.18	1
Platinum		1094	T	0.18	4
Platinum		17	T	0.016	4
Platinum		22	T	0.03	4
Platinum		260	T	0.06	4
Platinum		538	T	0.10	4
Platinum	pure, polished	200–600	T	0.05–0.10	1
Platinum	ribbon	900–1100	T	0.12–0.17	1
Platinum	wire	1400	T	0.18	1
Platinum	wire	500–1000	T	0.10–0.16	1
Platinum	wire	50–200	T	0.06–0.07	1
Porcelain	glazed	20	T	0.92	1
Porcelain	white, shiny		T	0.70–0.75	1
Rubber	hard	20	T	0.95	1
Rubber	soft, gray, rough	20	T	0.95	1
Sand			T	0.60	1
Sand		20	T	0.90	2
Sandstone	polished	19	LLW	0.909	8
Sandstone	rough	19	LLW	0.935	8
Silver	polished	100	T	0.03	2
Silver	pure, polished	200–600	T	0.02–0.03	1
Skin	human	32	T	0.98	2
Slag	boiler	0–100	T	0.97–0.93	1
Slag	boiler	1400–1800	T	0.69–0.67	1
Slag	boiler	200–500	T	0.89–0.78	1
Slag	boiler	600–1200	T	0.76–0.70	1
Snow: See Water					

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Soil	dry	20	T	0.92	2
Soil	saturated with water	20	T	0.95	2
Stainless steel	alloy, 8% Ni, 18% Cr	500	T	0.35	1
Stainless steel	rolled	700	T	0.45	1
Stainless steel	sandblasted	700	T	0.70	1
Stainless steel	sheet, polished	70	SW	0.18	9
Stainless steel	sheet, polished	70	LW	0.14	9
Stainless steel	sheet, untreated, somewhat scratched	70	SW	0.30	9
Stainless steel	sheet, untreated, somewhat scratched	70	LW	0.28	9
Stainless steel	type 18-8, buffed	20	T	0.16	2
Stainless steel	type 18-8, oxi-dized at 800°C	60	T	0.85	2
Stucco	rough, lime	10–90	T	0.91	1
Styrofoam	insulation	37	SW	0.60	7
Tar			T	0.79–0.84	1
Tar	paper	20	T	0.91–0.93	1
Tile	glazed	17	SW	0.94	5
Tin	burnished	20–50	T	0.04–0.06	1
Tin	tin–plated sheet iron	100	T	0.07	2
Titanium	oxidized at 540°C	1000	T	0.60	1
Titanium	oxidized at 540°C	200	T	0.40	1
Titanium	oxidized at 540°C	500	T	0.50	1
Titanium	polished	1000	T	0.36	1
Titanium	polished	200	T	0.15	1
Titanium	polished	500	T	0.20	1
Tungsten		1500–2200	T	0.24–0.31	1
Tungsten		200	T	0.05	1
Tungsten		600–1000	T	0.1–0.16	1
Tungsten	filament	3300	T	0.39	1
Varnish	flat	20	SW	0.93	6
Varnish	on oak parquet floor	70	SW	0.90	9
Varnish	on oak parquet floor	70	LW	0.90–0.93	9
Wallpaper	slight pattern, light gray	20	SW	0.85	6
Wallpaper	slight pattern, red	20	SW	0.90	6
Water	distilled	20	T	0.96	2
Water	frost crystals	–10	T	0.98	2
Water	ice, covered with heavy frost	0	T	0.98	1

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1	2	3	4	5	6
Water	ice, smooth	0	T	0.97	1
Water	ice, smooth	–10	T	0.96	2
Water	layer >0.1 mm thick	0–100	T	0.95–0.98	1
Water	snow		T	0.8	1
Water	snow	–10	T	0.85	2
Wood		17	SW	0.98	5
Wood		19	LLW	0.962	8
Wood	ground		T	0.5–0.7	1
Wood	pine, 4 different samples	70	SW	0.67–0.75	9
Wood	pine, 4 different samples	70	LW	0.81–0.89	9
Wood	planed	20	T	0.8–0.9	1
Wood	planed oak	20	T	0.90	2
Wood	planed oak	70	SW	0.77	9
Wood	planed oak	70	LW	0.88	9
Wood	plywood, smooth, dry	36	SW	0.82	7
Wood	plywood, untreated	20	SW	0.83	6
Wood	white, damp	20	T	0.7–0.8	1
Zinc	oxidized at 400°C	400	T	0.11	1
Zinc	oxidized surface	1000–1200	T	0.50–0.60	1
Zinc	polished	200–300	T	0.04–0.05	1
Zinc	sheet	50	T	0.20	1

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